

Docket No. 240886US3  
IN RE APPLICATION OF: Makoto KAWAGUCHI, et al.  
SERIAL NO: 10/634,784  
FILED: August 6, 2003  
FOR: STRETCH LABEL ATTACHING DEVICE



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GROUP 3726

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In response to the Office Action dated August 1, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.